

J. Billings
Ottawa

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Dear Sir. My father handed
me your letter of 23rd Sept. and
requested me to state that it has
remained unacknowledged on account
of a partial paralysis of his right arm.
In reference to Prairie Hopper
he says he says he observed it at
Ottawa early in Aug of the present
year, for the first time, and that
it was quite plentiful until Oct
1st; and that he has not
observed it nor has he any knowledge
of its occurrence in any other part of
Western Canada. I am, Sir, yours

Very Respectfully,
W. H. B. Billings